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9/2/48

THANKS YOUR LETTER SEPTEMBER FIRST. THE THREE MEMBERS OUR  
GROUP DISCUSSED THIS POSSIBILITY WITH BOB BLUM RECENTLY  
AND HAD SOME DOUBT AS TO WHETHER APPEARANCES BEFORE FULL  
COMMITTEE WAS WISEST METHOD OF EFFECTING APPROPRIATE  
LIAISON. WOULD GLADLY DISCUSS THIS WITH YOU. WILL YOU  
BE AT LLOYD NECK OVER WEEKEND?

ALLEN DULLES

Copy to Mr. Blum  
Mr. Correa  
Mr. Jackson

(Letterhead of COMMISSION ON ORGANIZATION OF THE  
EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF THE GOVERNMENT)

1626 K Street NW.  
Washington 25, D.C.

September 1, 1948

Dear Allie:

John Bross and I are just working on the preparation of a list of witnesses to appear before our Committee hearings on CIA which is scheduled to be held September 9. Obviously, the Committee would be delighted to have you or any of the other members of your Committee come down; also gratified, edified, and educated by such witnesses.

I have heard, however, that you have some reluctance and thus do not want to importune you to do so if, for any reason, you hesitate. This, however, is not intended to detract from the sincerity and cordiality of the invitation. It will be pleasing to our Committee to have you and very disappointing not to have you.

We are holding open some time so let us know as soon as convenient what your final decision on this matter is.

Sincerely yours,

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